

**All Stuffed Up**

That's the condition of many sufferers from catarrh, especially in the morning. Great difficulty is experienced in clearing the head and throat.

No wonder catarrh causes headache, impairs the taste, smell and hearing, pollutes the breath, deranges the stomach and affects the appetite.

To cure catarrh, treatment must be constitutional—alterative and tonic. "I was afflicted with catarrh. I took medicines of different kinds, giving each a fair trial; but eventually grew worse until I could hardly hear, taste or smell. I then concluded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla, and after taking five bottles I was cured and have not had any return of the disease since." EUGENE FORBES, Lebanon, N.H.

**Hood's Sarsaparilla**  
Cures catarrh—it soothes and strengthens the mucous membrane and builds up the whole system.

**HON. H. K. FOWLER.**

Nestor of Bennington County Bar Celebrates His Birthday.

Harvey K. Fowler, the oldest member of the Bennington county bar, and with possibly one or two exceptions the oldest practicing lawyer in Vermont, is 84 years old today. The old gentleman is passing the winter with a son in New York state.

Mrs. Fowler, to whom he was married in 1844, has died since last New Year's day. The judge is in pretty good health and was present at the opening of county court the first of December. He has not yet retired from practice.

**Coughs, Cold and Consumption.**

Few people realize when taking cough medicines other than Foley's Honey and Tar that they contain opiate which are constipating, besides being unsafe, particularly for children. Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiate, is safe and sure and will not constipate. Quinlan's Pharmacy.

**Consumption**

Salt pork is a famous old-fashioned remedy for consumption. "Eat plenty of pork," was the advice to the consumptive 50 and 100 years ago.

Salt pork is good if a man can stomach it. The idea behind it is that fat is the food the consumptive needs most.

Scott's Emulsion is the modern method of feeding fat to the consumptive. Pork is too rough for sensitive stomachs. Scott's Emulsion is the most refined of fats, especially prepared for easy digestion.

Feeding him fat in this way, which is often the only way, is half the battle, but Scott's Emulsion does more than that. There is something about the combination of cod liver oil and hypophosphites in Scott's Emulsion that puts new life into the weak parts and has a special action on the diseased lungs.



A sample will be sent free upon request. Be sure that this picture in the form of a label is on the wrapper of every bottle of Emulsion you buy.

**SCOTT'S BOWNE, CHEMISTS,**  
409 Pearl St., N. Y.  
50c. and \$1. all druggists.

**FOR THE HOLIDAYS**

Get your wife or sweetheart a SEWING MACHINE

I have taken the agency for the Wheeler & Wilson and also sell the New Home, the two best machines made.

New stock of Christmas Slippers as well as all standard lines of footwear.

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431 MAIN STREET.

**NORTH BENNINGTON**

THOMAS F. RING, Correspondent

Martin Shanahan visited friends in Troy last week.

Wm. J. Hurley was in Troy on business Saturday.

James Cheesebro is visiting relatives in North Adams.

Wm. Stevens visited his parents in Petersburg Christmas.

Charles Cannady is dangerously ill at his home in Hinsdaleville.

Miss Katherine Hewson was home from Troy to spend Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Mattison visited relatives in Troy Christmas.

Miss Kathryn Gray of Troy was the guest of friends here recently.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. German D. Mattison on Christmas.

Dr. and Mrs. L. B. Newton, who have both been ill, are now convalescent.

Herbert Davis and wife spent Christmas with relatives in North Adams.

John H. McDermott returned Sunday from visiting his wife in Boston.

The Bachelor Club will hold their social ball in Bank Hall this evening.

Samuel A. Watson has been visiting relatives in Schenectady for a few days.

Michael Keefe of New York city has been the guest of his parents here for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry D. Mattison and children are visiting relatives in Granville, N. Y.

Elton D. Collins of Manchester has opened a bakery in the Walworth block on Main-st.

Thomas Horton of Hudson, N. Y., spent a few days with his parents here during the week.

C. Edwards of Blackington, Mass., has been the guest of Marsh Phillips for several days.

C. J. McKay of Brooklyn has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Wellington for several days.

Mrs. Elmer Burgess and children of Burlington have been the guests of her father, M. C. Hulling.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Maxon of Troy have been the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Evans.

Mrs. George F. Houghton and daughter Dorothy have been visiting relatives in Troy for the past week.

Miss Kinney Maloney of New York is in the village on account of the illness of her sister, Mrs. James Mackin.

The regular monthly meeting of the J. G. McCullough engine company will be held in their rooms Monday evening.

The Congregational Sunday School will render their Christmas songs and New Year hymns in the church Sunday evening.

The H. T. Cushman Mfg. Co. are taking inventory this week. The past year's business has been the largest in the history of the firm.

The graded school will reopen Monday morning after a vacation of three weeks. A large quantity of wood has been purchased for heating the building.

The annual business meeting and election of officers of the North Bennington Village Cemetery Association will be held Monday evening, Jan. 5, at 7:30 o'clock in the National Bank parlors.

Miss Bertha Tozer is home from Saxtons River, and Miss Lina Tozer from Northampton, Mass., and Miss Alta Tozer from New York to pass the holidays with their parents, Rev. and Mrs. R. B. Tozer.

**CAMBRIDGE.**

Miss Rose Mosher of Boston has been the guest of G. C. Bentley and wife.

Leland Baker has received 3,000 fingerling brook trout from the state hatchery in Long Island.

Miss Florence Hewitt and Louis White of Union, N. Y., will be married to-day (Thursday), at high noon.

Harry Taylor has gone to Nassau, Bahamas, to fill a contract engagement of three months at the Colonial hotel.

Harold Hoyt and Kenneth Blackfan of Albany Medical College, Raymond Hoyt and Elmer Shiland of Cornell, Paul Smith of Harvard, Thos. Watkins of R. P. I., and Misses Berta Agan and Ruth Bosworth of Syracuse University, are spending their vacation at home.

**Falls a Deadly Attack.**

"My wife was so ill that good physicians were unable to help her," writes M. M. Austin of Winchester, Ind., "but was completely cured by Dr. King's New Life Pills." They work wonders in stomach and liver troubles. Cure constipation, sick headache. 25c at O. E. Gibson's drug store.

**Children Poisoned.**

Many children are poisoned and made nervous and weak if not killed out right, by mothers giving them cough syrups containing opiate. Foley's Honey and Tar is a safe and certain remedy for coughs, croup and lung troubles, and it is the only prominent cough medicine that contains no opiate or other poison. Quinlan's Pharmacy.

**WOODFORD**

Timothy Houghton and wife of West Dover have been in Bennington and Woodford.

Amos Aldrich is holding his own pretty well, and if nothing new sets in, may recover.

Adolphus Belrose, who is in poor health, is stopping with relatives in Bennington.

Seymour Van Santvoord of Troy, N. Y., sent Christmas turkeys to friends in Woodford.

John Wilson passed the holidays in Bennington. Noyis Loveland and Fred Auckumbright went to Albany.

A Juvenile Temple of I. O. G. T. was organized last Saturday by Grand Counselor M. B. Morgan and Supt. S. M. Bowles.

The selection have posted the check list for the "Referendum" town meeting Tuesday, February 3d.

A big load of wood drawn by Eli Briggs' team, tipped over and Mr. Briggs narrowly escaped serious injury.

Miss Joan H. Walker of Brooklyn, N. Y., who has passed several summers in Woodford, and has been a helper in the Ferndale church, has sent the usual large box of holiday presents to Mrs. Mrs. Nellie Stone, Miss Walker never leaves out the big plum pudding.

James Bushe's house next to "the Rocks," was destroyed by fire Christmas morning. But few of the household effects were saved. There was an insurance of a few hundred dollars.

Wm. P. Park, husband of Mrs. Emma J. C. Park, who has been missionary to China, and pastor in Woodford two summers, died last week Monday at his home in Malden, Mass. With the exception of the last summer, Mr. Park has passed seventeen consecutive summers in Woodford. He had been in failing health for several years.

**DORSET.**

Daniel C. Smith of Danby was in town Sunday.

Miss Marie Williams of the Castleton Normal school has been a visitor here.

Mr. and Mrs. Monterey entertained friends Saturday evening at "Roulette."

Mrs. William H. Grinnell of Danby has returned, after a brief visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bromley.

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**COURT OF CLAIMS.**

Governor McCullough Makes the Following Appointments for the Court of Claims.

The Governor has appointed Frank C. Williams of Newport, and Frank Plumley of Northfield, members of the Court of Claims created by the recent legislature. State Auditor Graham is chairman ex-officio.

Their duties are to hear, determine and adjust all claims against the state, the payment of which is not provided for by law. The first meeting will be in the state house at Montpelier Tuesday, January 6, 1908.

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